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REFERENCE TO:

130-MM FIELD GUNS
WEST BANK, SUEZ CANAL

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1. SIGNIFICANCE: THREE BATTERIES OF 130-MM FIELD GUNS M-46 WERE OBSERVED NEAR THE SUEZ CANAL ON THE WEST BANK.

2. REMARKS/
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BATTERIES WERE 4.7 NM (8.7 KM) SOUTH OF ISMAILIA AND 3.7 NM (APPROXIMATELY 6.9 KM) WEST OF THE SUEZ CANAL AT 30-31-00N 032-16-00E.

EACH OF THE BATTERIES CONTAINED FOUR 130-MM FIELD GUNS M-46 WHICH HAVE A RANGE OF APPROXIMATELY 14.5 NM (27 KM). FOUR ANTIAIRCRAFT (AA) GUNS WERE BETWEEN TWO OF THE BATTERIES. IN ADDITION, TRUCKS AND OTHER SUPPORT EQUIPMENT WERE PRESENT.

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